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In re application of

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Masayuki TAKENAKA, et al.

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A check for the statutory fee of \$130.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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In this regard, please note that the Declaration is in compliance with 37 C.F.R § 1.63 pursuant to MPEP § 602 VI, part (E).

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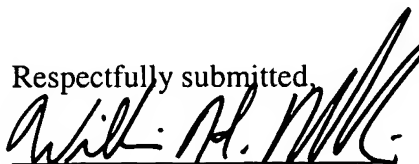
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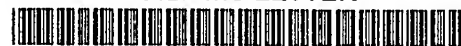
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### NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

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- Copy of the International Application filed on 07/08/2004
- English Translation of the IA filed on 07/08/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/08/2004
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 07/08/2004
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 07/08/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/08/2004
- Priority Documents filed on 07/08/2004

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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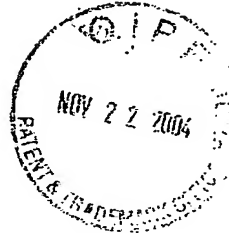
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1. Information Disclosure Statement (with references and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified))
2. Executed Assignment and Modified Form PTO-1595
3. Submission of Executed Declaration (in duplicate with a copy of the executed Declaration and check number 260591 in the amount of \$130.00)

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